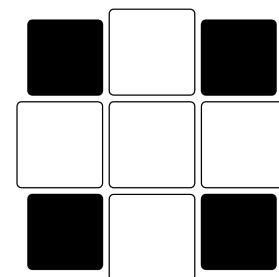


The Prologue

Scripture: **Luke 1:1–4**

Series: **The Gospel of Luke**

Sunday, March 26, 2017



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Overview

All believers struggle with doubt in some measure in various seasons. Because of our imperfection and sin, we doubt **the existence of God, the Word of God, the character of God, and the Gospel of God**. Luke writes his gospel to *all* of us, so that we would be assured of the things we have been taught. Faith grows by the grace of God through the Word of God.

Corroborating Texts

Mark 9:24; Luke 17:5-6; Psalm 73; Psalm 42:6; Romans 10:17; John 20:31

Discussion Questions

1. Why do Christians struggle with doubt? Not just doubting itself—but struggle with even admitting their doubt?
2. How does imperfect faith and the presence of sin impact the believer's faith?
3. Pastor Joe shared four areas that Christians could doubt (God's existence, God's word, God's character, and God's Gospel). In which area or areas do you find yourself doubting?
4. When seasons of doubt spring up, where do we typically turn to find answers? Where should we be going? [the Word of God and the people of God]
5. What must you do during these times of doubt? [a. be honest—confess your doubt; b. seek to know God in Scripture; c. be patient; d. learn to doubt *yourself* instead of doubting Scripture] Which of these do you most often neglect? How does community help us as we sort through our doubt?